

## Some trace inequalities of a special type of Rhotrix

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### Abstract

Matrices play an important role in various branches of mathematics such as coding theory, combinatorics and cryptography. Rhotrices are represented by coupled matrices and have wide range of applications in graph theory, cryptography and coding theory. Here, we discuss some trace inequalities of  $n$ -dimensional special type of rhotrix. Also, we derive some results related to the eigen values of special type of rhotrix.

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## 1 Introduction

In 2003, Ajibade [2] introduced rhotrix which is a mathematical object some way between  $2 \times 2$ -dimensional and  $3 \times 3$ - dimensional matrices. Dimension of a rhotrix is always an odd number. A rhotrix of 3-dimension is defined as

$$R_3 = \left\langle \begin{array}{ccc} a & & \\ b & c & d \\ & e & \end{array} \right\rangle,$$

where  $a, b, c, d, e$  are real numbers. The heart of the rhotrix is  $c$ , denoted by  $H(c)$ . Let

$$Q_3 = \left\langle \begin{array}{ccc} & f & \\ g & h & j \\ & k & \end{array} \right\rangle$$

be the another rhotrix of same dimension and addition of two rhotrices is defined as

$$R_3 + Q_3 = \left\langle \begin{array}{ccc} a & & \\ b & c & d \\ & e & \end{array} \right\rangle + \left\langle \begin{array}{ccc} & f & \\ g & h & j \\ & k & \end{array} \right\rangle = \left\langle \begin{array}{ccc} a+f & & \\ b+g & c+h & d+j \\ & e+k & \end{array} \right\rangle.$$

Sani [8] extended rhotrix of  $n$ -dimension to any odd number  $n \geq 3$  and gave the row-column multiplication. Sani [7] introduced heart oriented rhotrix multiplication and inverse of a rhotrix as

$$R_3 \circ Q_3 = \left\langle \begin{array}{ccc} a & & \\ b & c & d \\ & e & \end{array} \right\rangle \left\langle \begin{array}{ccc} & f & \\ g & h & j \\ & k & \end{array} \right\rangle = \left\langle \begin{array}{ccc} af+dg & & \\ bf+eg & ch & aj+dk \\ & bj+ek & \end{array} \right\rangle$$

and

$$R_3^{-1} = \left\langle \begin{array}{ccc} & \frac{c}{ac - bd} & \\ \frac{-b}{bd - ac} & \frac{1}{c} & \frac{-d}{bd - ac} \\ & \frac{c}{ac - bd} & \end{array} \right\rangle.$$

Determinant of rhotrix is  $c(ae - bd) \neq 0$ . Representation of a rhotrix into a coupled matrix is discussed by Sani [9]. For instance, for a 5-dimensional rhotrix

$$R_5 = \left\langle \begin{array}{ccccc} & & a_{11} & & \\ & a_{21} & c_{11} & a_{12} & \\ a_{31} & c_{21} & a_{22} & c_{12} & a_{13} \\ & a_{32} & c_{22} & a_{23} & \\ & & a_{33} & & \end{array} \right\rangle = \langle A, C \rangle,$$

we have two coupled matrices

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

and

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} \\ c_{21} & c_{22} \end{bmatrix}.$$

Sharma et al. [14] discussed trace of 3-dimensional and 5-dimensional rhotrices of positive integral power and the equation of rhotrix system was discussed by Aminu [5]. The different structure and operation of rhotrices are discussed by several authors, see [1, 3, 6, 10-19]. The trace of a rhotrix  $R_n$  is the sum of its diagonal entries and also the sum of all eigen values of that rhotrix. The trace is denoted by  $Tr$  and defined as

$$Tr(R_n) = \sum_{i=1}^n r_{ii}.$$

Trace inequalities for matrices are discussed by several authors, see [4, 20, 21]. In the present paper, we discuss some inequalities of rhotrices related with trace which satisfy the following condition

$$P : \alpha_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i + j = \text{even} \\ 0 & \text{if } i + j = \text{odd} \end{cases}.$$

We also obtain some results related to the eigen values of special type of rhotrix.

## 2 Main Results

**Theorem 2.1** Let  $R_n$  be the rhotrix of  $n$ -dimension satisfying the condition  $P$ . Then the trace of the rhotrix is same as the order of the rhotrix.

**Proof:** Let  $R_n$  be a rhotrix of  $n$ - dimension defined as

$$R_n = \left\langle \begin{array}{ccccccc} & & & a_{11} & & & \\ & & a_{21} & c_{11} & a_{12} & & \\ & a_{31} & c_{21} & a_{22} & c_{12} & a_{13} & \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ a_{n1} & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & a_{1n} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ & a_{nn-2} & c_{n-1n-2} & a_{n-1n-1} & c_{n-2n-1} & a_{n-2n} & \\ & & a_{nn-1} & c_{n-1n-1} & a_{n-1n} & & \\ & & & a_{nn} & & & \end{array} \right\rangle,$$

where the couple matrices  $a_{ij}$  and  $c_{lk}$  are written as

$$a_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & \dots & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} & \dots & \dots & a_{2n} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} & \dots & \dots & a_{3n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & a_{n3} & \dots & \dots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$

and

$$c_{lk} = \begin{bmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} & c_{13} & \dots & \dots & c_{1(n-1)} \\ c_{21} & c_{22} & c_{23} & \dots & \dots & c_{2(n-1)} \\ c_{31} & c_{32} & c_{33} & \dots & \dots & c_{3(n-1)} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ c_{(n-1)1} & c_{(n-1)2} & c_{(n-1)3} & \dots & \dots & c_{(n-1)(n-1)} \end{bmatrix}.$$

By applying the condition  $P$  on rhotrix  $R_n$ , we get

$$R_n = \left\langle \begin{matrix} \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ a_{n1} & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & a_{1n} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ a_{n(n-2)} & 0 & a_{(n-1)(n-1)} & 0 & a_{(n-2)n} & \dots & \dots \\ \dots & 0 & c_{(n-1)(n-1)} & 0 & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \dots & \dots & a_{nn} & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \end{matrix} \right\rangle = \langle a_{ij}, c_{lk} \rangle,$$

$$a_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & \dots & \dots & a_{1n} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots & \dots & a_{2n} \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & \dots & \dots & a_{3n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & a_{n3} & \dots & \dots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$

and

$$c_{lk} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & \dots & \dots & c_{1(n-1)} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots & \dots & c_{2(n-1)} \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & \dots & \dots & c_{3(n-1)} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ c_{(n-1)1} & c_{(n-1)2} & c_{(n-1)3} & \dots & \dots & c_{(n-1)(n-1)} \end{bmatrix}.$$

The eigen values of matrices  $a_{ij}$  and  $c_{lk}$  are given by

$$a_{ij}X = \lambda_p X$$

and

$$c_{lk}X = \lambda_q X,$$

where  $\lambda_p$  and  $\lambda_q$  are eigen values of  $a_{ij}$  and  $c_{lk}$  respectively for  $X \neq 0$ .  
Now, the characteristic equation of  $a_{ij}$  is as follows

$$|a_{ij} - \lambda I| = 0.$$

Let the eigen values of  $a_{ij}$  are  $\lambda_p = \lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3, \lambda_4, \dots, \lambda_t$  and the eigen values of  $c_{lk}$  are  $\lambda_q = \lambda_{t+1}, \lambda_{t+2}, \lambda_{t+3}, \lambda_{t+4}, \dots, \lambda_n$ .

Therefore, the trace of rhotrix  $R_n$  is

$$\begin{aligned} Tr(R_n) &= \text{Sum of all eigen values of rhotrix } R_n = \lambda_p + \lambda_q \\ &= \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 + \lambda_3 + \lambda_4 + \dots + \lambda_t + \lambda_{t+1} + \lambda_{t+2} + \lambda_{t+3} + \lambda_{t+4} + \dots + \lambda_n \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^t \lambda_i + \sum_{i=t+1}^n \lambda_i \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i = n. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the order of any rhotrix is same as the trace of that rhotrix  $R_n$ .

**Example 2.1** Let  $R_3$  be a rhotrix of 3-dimension satisfying the condition  $P$  as follows:

$$R_3 = \left\langle \begin{array}{ccc} & & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ & & 1 \end{array} \right\rangle.$$

From the characteristic equation of  $R_3$ , that is,

$$|R_3 - \lambda I| = 0,$$

we have  $\lambda = 1, 1, 1$  as the eigen values of  $R_3$ . Now,

$$Tr(R_3) = \sum_{i=1}^3 \lambda_i = 3,$$

which is same as the order of the rhotrix  $R_3$ .

For  $n = 5$ ,

$$R_5 = \left\langle \begin{array}{ccccc} & & & & 1 \\ & & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ & & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ & & & & 1 \end{array} \right\rangle.$$

The eigen values of  $R_5$  are 0, 1, 1, 1, 2. Now,

$Tr(R_5) = \sum_{i=1}^5 \lambda_i = 0 + 1 + 1 + 1 + 2 = 5$ . Therefore, the trace of rhotrix  $R_5$  is same as the order of the rhotrix  $R_5$ .

For  $n = 7$ ,

$$R_7 = \left\langle \begin{array}{ccccccc} & & & & & & 1 \\ & & & & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ & & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ & & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ & & & & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ & & & & & & 1 \end{array} \right\rangle.$$



and

$$c_{lk} = \begin{bmatrix} c_{11} & 0 & c_{11} & \dots & \dots & c_{1(n-1)} \\ 0 & c_{22} & 0 & \dots & \dots & c_{2(n-1)} \\ c_{31} & 0 & c_{33} & \dots & \dots & c_{3(n-1)} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ c_{(n-1)1} & c_{(n-1)2} & c_{(n-1)3} & \dots & \dots & c_{(n-1)(n-1)} \end{bmatrix}.$$

Let  $\lambda_p = \lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3, \lambda_4, \dots, \lambda_t$  are the eigen values of  $a_{ij}$  and  $\lambda_q = \lambda_{t+1}, \lambda_{t+2}, \lambda_{t+3}, \lambda_{t+4}, \dots, \lambda_n$  are the eigen values of  $c_{lk}$ .

One of these eigen values will be zero. Therefore, the determinant of  $R_n$  rhotrix is

$$\begin{aligned} \det.(R_n) &= \text{Product of eigen values of matrices } a_{ij} \text{ and } c_{lk} \\ &= \lambda_1 \lambda_2 \lambda_3 \lambda_4 \dots \lambda_t \lambda_{t+1} \lambda_{t+2} \lambda_{t+3} \lambda_{t+4} \dots \lambda_n \\ &= \prod_{i=1}^t \lambda_i \prod_{i=t+1}^n \lambda_i \\ &= \prod_{i=1}^n \lambda_i = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Since one or more eigen values will be zero whenever  $n \geq 5$ . Therefore, determinant of the rhotrix  $R_n$  is equal to zero for  $n \geq 5$ .

**Example 2.2** Let  $R_n$  be a rhotrix satisfying the condition  $P$ . For  $n = 5$

$$R_5 = \left\langle \begin{array}{cccccc} & & & & & 1 \\ & & & & & 0 \\ & & & & & 1 \\ & & & & & 0 \\ & & & & & 1 \\ & & & & & 0 \\ & & & & & 1 \\ & & & & & 0 \\ & & & & & 1 \\ & & & & & 0 \\ & & & & & 1 \end{array} \right\rangle.$$

The eigen values of  $R_5$  are 0, 1, 1, 1, 2. Therefore,  $\det.(R_5) = 0.1.1.1.2 = 0$ .

For  $n = 9$

$$R_9 = \left\langle \begin{array}{cccccccccc} & & & & & & & & & & 1 \\ & & & & & & & & & & 0 \\ & & & & & & & & & & 1 \\ & & & & & & & & & & 0 \\ & & & & & & & & & & 1 \\ & & & & & & & & & & 0 \\ & & & & & & & & & & 1 \\ & & & & & & & & & & 0 \\ & & & & & & & & & & 1 \\ & & & & & & & & & & 0 \\ & & & & & & & & & & 1 \\ & & & & & & & & & & 0 \\ & & & & & & & & & & 1 \\ & & & & & & & & & & 0 \\ & & & & & & & & & & 1 \end{array} \right\rangle.$$

The eigen values of  $R_9$  are 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 2, 2, 2, 3. Therefore,  $\det.(R_9) = 0.0.0.0.0.2.2.2.3 = 0$ .

**Theorem 2.3** Let  $R_n$  and  $S_n$  be two  $n$ -dimensional rhotrices satisfying the condition  $P$ . Then both the rhotrices  $R_n$  and  $S_n$  have the same trace.

**Proof:** Given  $R_n$  and  $S_n$  are two  $n$ -dimensional rhotrices satisfying the condition  $P$ . Let  $Q_n$  be an invertible rhotrix. Then  $R_n = Q_n^{-1} S_n Q_n$ , is a diagonalizable rhotrix with the rhotrix  $S_n$ . We have,

$$\begin{aligned}
Tr(R_n - \lambda I_n) &= Tr(Q_n^{-1} S_n Q_n - \lambda I_n) \\
&= Tr(Q_n^{-1} S_n Q_n - Q_n^{-1} \lambda I_n Q_n) \\
&= Tr(Q_n^{-1} (S_n - \lambda I_n) Q_n) \\
&= Tr(Q_n^{-1}) Tr(S_n - \lambda I_n) Tr(Q_n)
\end{aligned}$$

$$(2.1) \quad = Tr(Q_n^{-1}) Tr(Q_n) Tr(S_n - \lambda I_n).$$

As the rhotrix  $Q_n$  is an invertible rhotrix, this gives  $Tr(Q_n^{-1}) Tr(Q_n) = 1$ . Therefore, equation (2.1) becomes,

$$Tr(R_n - \lambda I_n) = Tr(S_n - \lambda I_n).$$

Hence,  $R_n$  and  $S_n$  have same trace.

**Theorem 2.4** Let  $R_n$  and  $S_n$  be two  $n$ -dimensional rhotrices satisfying the condition  $P$ . Then for positive semi-definite rhotrices

$$(2.2) \quad 0 \leq Tr(R_n S_n)^{2m} \leq (Tr R_n)^2 (Tr R_n^2)^{m-1} (Tr S_n^2)^m, m = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

**Proof:** Given  $R_n$  and  $S_n$  are two  $n$ -dimensional rhotrices satisfying the condition  $P$ . Now,

$$Tr(R_n S_n)^{2m} = Tr(R_n (S_n R_n)^{2m-1} S_n)$$

$$(2.3) \quad \leq Tr(R_n) Tr((S_n R_n)^{2m-1} S_n).$$

Also,

$$\begin{aligned}
Tr((S_n R_n)^{2m-1} S_n) &= Tr(S_n (R_n S_n)^{2(m-1)} R_n S_n) \\
&= Tr((R_n S_n)^{2(m-1)} R_n S_n^2) \\
&\leq Tr((R_n S_n)^{2(m-1)} R_n) Tr S_n^2 \\
&= Tr(R_n (S_n R_n)^{2(m-1)-1} S_n R_n) Tr S_n^2 \\
&= Tr((S_n R_n)^{2(m-1)-1} S_n R_n^2) Tr S_n^2
\end{aligned}$$

$$(2.4) \quad \leq Tr((S_n R_n)^{2(m-1)-1} S_n) Tr R_n^2 Tr S_n^2.$$

From equations (2.3) and (2.4), we obtain

$$Tr((S_n R_n)^{2m-1} S_n) \leq Tr((S_n R_n)^{2(m-1)-1} S_n) Tr R_n^2 Tr S_n^2.$$

This gives,

$$\begin{aligned}
Tr((S_n R_n)^{2(m-1)} S_n) &\leq Tr(S_n R_n S_n) (Tr R_n^2)^{m-1} (Tr S_n^2)^{m-1} \\
&= Tr(R_n S_n^2) (Tr R_n^2)^{m-1} (Tr S_n^2)^{m-1}
\end{aligned}$$

$$(2.5) \quad = Tr R_n (Tr R_n^2)^{m-1} (Tr S_n^2)^m.$$

Hence, the equations (2.3) and (2.5) give the desired result.

**Example 2.3** Let two rhotrices  $R_5$  and  $S_5$  satisfying the condition  $P$ . Let

$$R_5 = \left\langle \begin{array}{ccccc} & & 1 & & \\ & 0 & 1 & 0 & \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ & 0 & 1 & 0 & \\ & & & & 1 \end{array} \right\rangle$$

and

$$S_5 = \left\langle \begin{array}{ccccc} & & 1 & & \\ & 0 & 1 & 0 & \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ & 0 & 1 & 0 & \\ & & & & 1 \end{array} \right\rangle.$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} (R_5 S_5)^2 &= \left[ \left\langle \begin{array}{ccccc} & & 1 & & \\ & 0 & 1 & 0 & \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ & 0 & 1 & 0 & \\ & & & & 1 \end{array} \right\rangle \left\langle \begin{array}{ccccc} & & 1 & & \\ & 0 & 1 & 0 & \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ & 0 & 1 & 0 & \\ & & & & 1 \end{array} \right\rangle \right]^2 \\ &= \left\langle \begin{array}{ccccc} & & 8 & & \\ & 0 & 1 & 0 & \\ 8 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 8 \\ & 0 & 1 & 0 & \\ & & & & 8 \end{array} \right\rangle. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$Tr(R_5 S_5)^2 = \sum_{i=1}^5 d_{ii} \text{ (Sum of all diagonal entries)}$$

$$(2.6) \quad = 8 + 1 + 1 + 1 + 8 = 19.$$

Now, for  $m = 1$  in (2.2), we get

$$(Tr R_5)^2 (Tr R_5^2)^0 (Tr S_5)^2 = \left[ Tr \left\langle \begin{array}{ccccc} & & 1 & & \\ & 0 & 1 & 0 & \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ & 0 & 1 & 0 & \\ & & & & 1 \end{array} \right\rangle \right]^2 (1) Tr \left\langle \begin{array}{ccccc} & & 2 & & \\ & 0 & 1 & 0 & \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ & 0 & 1 & 0 & \\ & & & & 2 \end{array} \right\rangle$$

$$(2.6A) \quad = (5)^2 \cdot 7 = 175.$$

By substituting (2.6) and (2.6A) in (2.2), we get

$$0 \leq 19 \leq 175.$$

Therefore, the inequality (2.2) is satisfied for two positive semi-definite rhotrices.

**Theorem 2.5** Let  $R_n$  and  $S_n$  be two  $n$ -dimensional rhotrices satisfying the condition  $P$ . Then

$$(2.7) \quad 0 \leq Tr(R_n S_n)^{2m+1} \leq (Tr R_n)(Tr S_n)(Tr R_n^2)^m (Tr S_n^2)^m, m = 1, 2, 3, \dots \in \mathbb{Z}^+$$



**Proof:** Here,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Tr}(R_n S_n)^{2m+1} &= \text{Tr}(R_n (S_n R_n)^{2m} S_n) \\ (2.8) \qquad \qquad \qquad &\leq \text{Tr} R_n (\text{Tr}(S_n R_n)^{2m} S_n). \end{aligned}$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Tr}((S_n R_n)^{2m} S_n) &= \text{Tr}(S_n (R_n S_n)^{2m-1} R_n S_n) \\ &= \text{Tr}((R_n S_n)^{2m-1} R_n S_n^2) \\ &\leq \text{Tr}((R_n S_n)^{2m-1} R_n) \text{Tr} S_n^2 \\ &= \text{Tr}(R_n (R_n S_n)^{2(m-1)} S_n R_n) \text{Tr} S_n^2 \\ &= \text{Tr}((S_n R_n)^{2(m-1)} S_n R_n^2) \text{Tr} S_n^2 \\ (2.9) \qquad \qquad \qquad &= \text{Tr}((S_n R_n)^{2(m-1)} S_n) \text{Tr} R_n^2 \text{Tr} S_n^2. \end{aligned}$$

This gives,

$$\text{Tr}((S_n R_n)^{2m} S_n) = \text{Tr}((S_n R_n)^{2(m-1)} S_n) \text{Tr} R_n^2 \text{Tr} S_n^2.$$

So, we have

$$(2.10) \qquad \qquad \text{Tr}((S_n R_n)^{2m} S_n) = \text{Tr} S_n (\text{Tr} R_n^2)^m (\text{Tr} S_n^2)^m.$$

Hence, from equations (2.8) and (2.10), we obtain the desired inequality.

**Theorem 2.6** Let  $R_n$  and  $S_n$  be two  $n$ -dimensional rhotrices satisfying the condition  $P$ . Then the inequality

$$(2.11) \qquad \qquad \text{Tr}(R_n S_n)^m \leq (\text{Tr}(R_n^{2m}) \text{Tr}(S_n^{2m}))^{1/2},$$

holds, for  $m \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ .

**Proof:** Given  $R_n$  and  $S_n$  are two rhotrices satisfying the condition  $P$ . Now,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Tr}(R_n S_n)^m &= \text{Tr}(R_n^m S_n^m) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i [(R_n^m S_n^m)] \\ &\leq \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i (R_n^m) \lambda_i (S_n^m) \\ &\leq \left[ \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i^2 (R_n^m) \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i^2 (S_n^m) \right]^{1/2} \\ &\leq \left[ \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i^2 [(R_n^m)(S_n^m)] \right]^{1/2} \\ &= \left[ \text{Tr}(R_n^{2m}) \text{Tr}(S_n^{2m}) \right]^{1/2}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence proved.

**Example 2.4** Let two rhotrices  $R_5$  and  $S_5$  satisfying the condition  $P$ . Put  $m = 1$  in (2.11), we have

$$\begin{aligned} [Tr(R_5^2)Tr(S_5^2)]^{1/2} &= \left[ Tr \left\langle \begin{matrix} 2 & & & & \\ & 0 & \frac{2}{1} & 0 & \\ & 0 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ & 0 & 1 & 0 & \\ & & & & 2 \end{matrix} \right\rangle Tr \left\langle \begin{matrix} 2 & & & & \\ & 0 & \frac{2}{1} & 0 & \\ & 0 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ & 0 & 1 & 0 & \\ & & & & 2 \end{matrix} \right\rangle \right]^{1/2} \\ &= [7 * 7]^{1/2} \\ &= (7^2)^{1/2} = 7. \end{aligned} \tag{2.12}$$

From (2.11) and (2.12), the inequality is verified.

**Theorem 2.7** Let  $R_n$  be an  $n$ -dimensional rhotrix and  $R_n^*$  be its conjugate rhotrix satisfying the condition  $P$ , then

$$Tr(R_n)^{2m} \leq Tr(R_n R_n^*)^m \leq Tr[(R_n)^m (R_n^*)^m] \tag{2.13}$$

and

$$Tr(R_n)^{2m} \leq [Tr(R_n)^{1/2}]^2 [Tr(R_n)]^{(m-1)} [Tr(R_n^*)]^m. \tag{2.14}$$

**Proof:** Here, the rhotrix  $R_n$  is satisfying the condition  $P$ . Now,

$$\begin{aligned} Tr(R_n)^{2m} &\leq \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i [(R_n R_n^*)^m] \\ &= Tr[(R_n R_n^*)^m] \\ &\leq \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i [(R_n)^m (R_n^*)^m] \\ &= Tr[(R_n)^m (R_n^*)^m] \end{aligned} \tag{2.15}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} Tr[(R_n)^m (R_n^*)^m] &\leq Tr(R_n) Tr(R_n)^{(m-1)} Tr(R_n^*)^m \\ &\leq [Tr(R_n)^{1/2}]^2 [Tr(R_n)]^{(m-1)} [Tr(R_n^*)]^m. \end{aligned} \tag{2.16}$$

Therefore, equations (2.15) and (2.16) give us the desired results.

### 3 Conclusion

In the present paper, we have discussed some trace inequalities of special type of rhotrix satisfying the condition  $P$ . We have also obtained results related to the eigen values of  $n$ - dimensional rhotrices.

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